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"A STRANGER PASSES"

Monday night in the 2nd Ward at the Taylor Stake presented a three act play entitled "A Stranger Passes". It was played to a large house and was very well received by the audience. The play has a very good cast and anyone that has not seen this play are well advised not to miss it when it is presented in the 1st Ward March 2nd.

On Tuesday night the play was presented to Magrath and will play Wellburg and Stirling as well this week.

Miss Elaine Palmer and Joyce Phillips were hostess Sunday evening to Miss Vera Meldrum, Adrian Garner and Rowena Meldrum. The evening was spent playing Court Whist of which there was three tables. A hot supper was served.

"Can't Help Singing" with Deanna Durbin is her first picture in technicolor. Playing Saturday starting at 7 p.m. This picture was filmed in Southern Utah in the vicinity of Cedar City.

Four of Adams' outstanding motion pictures coming to the Capitol soon "Spellbound", "State Fair", "Son of Lancelot", and "The Clock". Watch and see these stellar motion pictures.

Ronald Watson has returned home from overseas.

Bud Stewart, son of Mrs. R. D. Strong has returned home from overseas.

Lee Browton, Makr Heninger, Bob Zobel and Hiram Fromm left for Calgary Thursday morning.

Henry Dieppress was busy Wednesday afternoon moving a show case from the cheese factory to the market on main street.

W. C. Stone left Wednesday for Britain there to fulfill a long term mission for the church. Mrs. Stone motor ed as far as Great Falls with him.

Mrs. Darwin Price is spending 3 weeks while her folks are away.

Shipwreck Party

Tuesday night the 2nd ward was the scene of a Shipwreck party. The hall was appropriately decorated with boats of all descriptions and rocks around the hall.

Everyone wore costumes and many very interesting gowns were to be seen. Costume prizes went to Grant Spackman, Bill Meew and Adrian Garner.

Special mention went to Kathleen Taylor, Lavon Scoville, Frank Anderson, Jim Heninger, Nora Spackman, Doris Miller, and Malcolm Bridge.

Everyone brought their own tin can to drink from. Lunch was served to 80 and the evening was spent in games and dancing. It was a very enjoyable and hilarious evening.

In the Bonspiel held recently the local curlers played 10 games and won 6 of them. Heber Allen, Frank Bell, Art King and Harold McKeen comprise the local curlers and they made an excellent showing.

Buddy Palmer left Wednesday morning for overseas going as a guard with the prisoners of war that are being sent to the Old Country.

Special Interest Party

Tuesday night in the First Ward the Special Interest Groups of both wards held a party. A program started the evening off and after a lunch of fruit salad and punch the evening was given over to dancing. There were about 80 present.

Raymond Lions Club Holds Charter Night

CHARTER NIGHT

Thursday night in the Opera House the local Lions held their annual charter night.

There were 110 Lions and their partners and guests present with representatives from Magrath, Cardston, Spring, Coulee and Lethbridge Clubs.

Lion Melvin King was the Master of Ceremonies and the evening got under way with the singing of "O Canada". The program was given by Lion President Karl Wilde. In the absence of District Governor Gordon Sorenson, Deputy District Governor Paul Moreland gave an address on Lionism. The Raymond Lions Club Quartet sang and Mrs. Helton of Magrath gave a Trumpet solo. There was community singing.

Lions Bryant Heninger and Delin Bennett were Tail Twisters and they kept the crowd on their toes and the fires rolling in.

NOTES FROM THE ROTES

At the regular meeting of the Rotarians in the Sugar Bowl on Monday, Elder Jos F. Merrill of the LDS Church was the speaker. His topic was the phases connected with Atomic energy. All present were well paid for time spent, as Elder Merrill is well qualified, being a teacher of Science for a period of 25 years at the University of Utah, and has had some experience along these lines.

One visitor in the person of W. C. Stone was present who with 100% attendance of Rotés made up an appreciative audience.

Special notice to all Rotarians is the interesting news that Major Slover of USA Army will be the speaker next Monday at a full attendance is urged.

Mabel Heninger left Sunday by T. C. A. for Salt Lake City where she will join the Hampton Witbecks and journey with them to Arizona and Mexico.



The floor of the main control room at station CBK, Watrous, CB's 50, 000 watt Prairie Region Transmitter, is subject to revision as new CBC stations are built.

The balance of the evening was spent in dancing.

A delicious supper was served by the 2nd ward Primary and the tables were attractively set with Carnations down the centre.

This was Raymond's sixth Charter night.

"A City Sings", latest National film Board release in the Canada carries on series tells the story of the Winnipeg Musical Festival; farthest of its kind in the British Commonwealth.

JOINT MEETING OF LIONS AND ROTARIANS

A Combined meeting of the Lions and Rotarians was held in the Sugar Bowl Tuesday Feb 18th with Pres. Karl Wilde in the chair. Mrs. Meldrum was introduced as a visitor by Lion T. J. Walton.

A letter from the Cardston club inviting the members to their Charter Night which was being held on Feb 27th. The Magrath charter night will be held on Feb 25th and the Raymond Club on Feb 28th.

Community Singing was enjoyed by all.

Mr. Wm. Wilde of Red Deer was present who introduced Lion John Charlton M.P. of Brant, Ontario who spoke to the assembly on Co-operation between the East and the West. The meeting closed by singing "God Save the King".

See Deanna Durbin Saturday night at 7 p.m. in "Can't Help Singing" film in glowing Technicolor in beautiful Southern Utah.

States Ban Diversion of Motor Revenue

Two more states have joined the list that have passed laws prohibiting the diversion of motor funds to other than highway purposes, according to information received by the Alberta Motor Association. These are Pennsylvania and Kentucky. More are expected to follow suit this year.

For many years, the AMA has urged that Alberta Motor funds, taken from the pockets of the motorists of this province, should be spent entirely on highway construction and maintenance purposes. It has pointed out that the excess of revenues over road outlays runs into millions of dollars and it is high time that the practice was checked.

South of the international boundary the practice of raiding motor funds for general revenue purposes became so prevalent that finally state legislation was passed banning such diversions. This has had good results and should be adopted more generally in the provinces and states, it has been contended.

54,000 Aluminum Houses

The use of aluminum for the construction of temporary houses continues to progress in Britain. The houses are delivered from the factory complete with all fixtures and fitting for gas, water and electricity, so that they can be put into use at once. The city of Bristol has dealt with its housing problem rapidly by erecting 52 aluminum houses on a piece of ground belonging to the city. At the moment the five British factories producing these houses have in hand orders for 56,000 houses and production is to be increased so that within a short time it will be possible to deliver 50 aluminum houses per day. It is proposed to manufacture permanent houses from aluminum later on.

Warn of Many Lurking Dangers at Crossings

The steadily mounting toll of traffic accidents at level crossings has drawn fresh warnings from officials of the Alberta Motor Association.

Prospects of heavier traffic on streets and highways this year, following the suspension of gasoline and the rationing, make it all the more necessary to observe safety measures at level crossings.

Hardly a week goes by without a report of fatalities at a level crossing. In practically every case at least two or three persons are killed or seriously injured.

Safety officials emphasize the need of local organization drawing public attention to the hazards of careless driving over these crossings.

The railways have carried on educational programs but there still is need of creating greater public interest in the hazards of level crossings. The old cry to "Stop, Look, and Listen" never had more cause for diligent observance than it has now and will have in this first peacetime year when a greatly increased volume of motor traffic will be on the highways.

Dick Bowden underwent an operation for appendicitis Friday morning.



CBC listeners are welcoming back to the nationwide airwaves songstress JULIETTE, whose new show is heard with 'Calangis & Co.' the Dominion network's smart new aggregation of fourteen sophisticated strings. Juliette sang with George Calangis three years ago, before he went overseas with the Air Force. Still in her teens, she first gained national fame with Alan Young show from Toronto, and is now a popular entertainer at Canadian and American night spots on the west coast.

A Cure For Jaded Nerves

A Cure for Jaded Nerves. For a nervous man, for all those who have worked too hard or at too fast a tempo during the war, and for that vast throng of normal average human beings who get a natural craving to dig in the soil every spring, gardening offers a cure, rest and recreation all rolled into one. There is fresh air, healthful exercise and the solid satisfaction of seeing things grow. One can make as much or as little as one likes and the cost is hardly worth mentioning, a few dollars for tools, a few cents for seeds and nature will do the rest.

STOCK SWEEPS

Blacksmiths from over the province are to be taught how to build stock sweeps with instructions at Old's agricultural school.

Raw material needed are an old pair of tractor wheels and the differential from an old car. If a demonstration machine can be got into each district a great amount of labor may be saved. The provincial government is prepared to accept responsibility if the district blacksmith does not wish to assume expense of building the first machine.

The new machine is made with long arms made of steel or hardwood mounted on two extra wheels and the entire outfit is again mounted in front of a small tractor. The arms form a bed about twelve feet wide which slides under the stocks and the machine is able to pick up from 8 to 10 stocks at a speed of 20 to 7 miles per hour.

The idea is to save man power and it is told that one machine can do the work of two plow tractors in place from four to six stock men and drivers.

A release of material has been granted to go on with construction.

In operating the outfit the stocks are picked up and carried by the machine to the separator and dropped beside the feeder so that in the running of an average day the sweeping about 100 acres. The method will take but a few minutes at the separator. No teams will be needed.

WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

The destroyers Napier and Norman arrived at Devonport, England, recently with more than 130 tons of food from Australia.

Exports of diamonds from Britain during the six war years brought more than £100,000,000 (\$450,000,000) into the country.

The United Nations assembly will hold its next session Sept. 3 in New York city, NBC said in a broadcast from London.

Kentucky is the first state to make a legal holiday of Jan. 30, anniversary of the birthday of the late President Roosevelt.

The last scout census in the British East African colony of Kenya showed that there were 622 scouts and 416 cubs in the Nairobi district alone.

Rations for British troops in the Hong Kong area of southeast Asia command have been cut because of the world shortage of food, it was announced.

Lord Woolton, chairman of the British Red Cross society, has received the decoration of a Commander of the Legion of Honor from the French government.

Two latest additions to the King's Windsor Greys—the famous horses used on state occasions—have been named "Alexander" and "Montgomery".

Mrs. Rose E. K. Hill, personal secretary to Winston Churchill, is to be curator at Chequers, country home of Britain's prime ministers, in succession to Miss Lamont.

Some Good Advice

Brookington Suggests People Should Stop Talking About Future Wars

Leonard W. Brookington, in an address at New York, suggested that the average person's best contribution to peace would be to stop talking about the inevitability of war—with Russia or with anybody else.

Speaking to a luncheon of the trust division of the American Bankers' Association, Mr. Brookington said that without the support of the peoples of the United States, the British Empire and Soviet Russia, peace was a mirage.

He reviewed world events of 1846, noted the expansionist tendencies then seen in the United States, the war with Mexico, the settlement of the Oregon boundary dispute, which established the boundary with Canada at the 49th parallel, and asked: "Don't you think when you hear what the United States was doing then, it was something like what Russia is doing today?"

Mr. Brookington said he would like to see this continent open its doors wide to the suffering who wished to make a new life here.

"If we want to underwrite the peace of the world we can do so only by sacrifice. Peace can be maintained only by no less effort than has been given to war."

For Future Warfare

Must Keep Skilled Personnel For The Manufacture Of Munitions

Canada must keep skilled personnel and equipment for the manufacture of munitions "fluid" if she is to keep pace with rapidly changing development, Col. Malcolm Jolley, president of Canadian Armaments Ltd., said in an interview.

An industrialist-soldier at 36, Col. Jolley heads the new Crown company which will be responsible for keeping Canada industrially alert for possible war needs. Early in the war he had a leading part in building Small Arms Ltd., and he is the inventor of several small arms improvements, but he is hesitant about making commitments on the future place of guns and bullets.

"When the war ended we had just been given a glimpse into the future that we didn't fully understand," he said. "To me—and weapons are my business—the prospects are very confused. I can't put the gun in proper perspective in relation to the atom bomb and rocket warfare."

Radio-Active Element

Government Is To Conserve Canada's Supplies Of Thorium

The government has moved to conserve Canada's supplies of thorium, a rare radio-active element being studied as a possible source of atomic energy.

The action was taken through the issuance of a customs order cancelling previous exemptions for the shipment of thorium and mesothorium salts, and reinstating export permit control for the shipment of manufactured items containing thorium.

Prime Minister Mackenzie King disclosed in the Commons last December that Canada was exploring the possibility of using thorium as a substitute for the rarer and more expensive uranium, thus far the only element known to have been utilized to produce atomic energy.

As far as is known, Canada has no deposits of thorium, most of which is mined in India.

Cannon came into use in warfare in the 16th century.

HOCKEY KNOWLEDGE CONTEST

"Sports College" Gives Youth Of Canada Chance To Win Free Trip To See A Stanley Cup Play-off

Officials of "Sports College" have announced that their organization is sponsoring a nation wide "Hockey Knowledge" contest that offers, as first prize, a free, all-expense trip to see a 1946 Stanley Cup play-off. The winner and his father, mother or suitable guardian, will be brought from any part of Canada to see the play-off game and their full expenses will be paid from the moment they leave home until they get back again. This new contest is designed primarily to promote "clean hockey" throughout the country and thus speed up the game, eliminate injuries and help each player and team to play better hockey.

Though the contest is open only to "Sports College" members, anyone can enter, since entries will be accepted from non-members as long as they enclose an application for membership along with their contest entry. Membership in "Sports College" is free, as are all its many services and anyone can join, regardless of age, sex, colour or creed.

Each contestant must send in his written answer to this contest question assignment: "What Important Advantages Can You And Your Team Gain By Playing Clean Hockey?" The contestant may write as long an answer as he wishes and can send as many entries as he wants. A novel angle to this contest is that every single contestant will receive a prize of an action picture of the Stanley Cup finals, suitable for framing—no matter how good his entry may be.

The contest opened on Saturday, Feb. 9th, and entries will be accepted until midnight Saturday, March 16th. Sgt. Apps, Maple Leaf Captain and centre star, famous for his clean play and sportsmanship, along with his great skill, will be the final judge. The winner of the free, all-expense trip to a Stanley Cup play-off will be announced on Saturday, March 23rd. This winner will be the contestant whose entry, in the opinion of the judges, gives the best answer to the contest question "What Are The Important Advantages You And Your Team Can Gain By Playing Clean Hockey?" The age of each contestant will be taken into consideration when the entries are being judged so that everyone will have an equal chance to win.

Membership consists primarily of boys and young men from 12 to 21 years of age but many girls are also members.

The detailed rules of the "See A Stanley Cup Play-off" contest are listed below. Read these carefully and then send in your entry as instructed. It will be the smartest play you've ever made.

Contest Rules

(1) This contest is open only to "Sports College" members, or those who have applied for membership. If you are not a member, and you wish to enter the contest, all you have to do is enclose a letter with your entry saying you wish to join. When sending along your contest entry, or your application for membership, be sure to include your full name, address and age. Membership in "Sports College" is free, anyone can join regardless of age, sex or where you reside. Members of "Sports College" receive many free services, including a membership card, a "Sports College" crest and a catalogue that lists over forty booklets and bulletins on sport, health and physical fitness.

NOTE: Your application for membership in "Sports College" may be included in the same envelope as your contest entry—but it must be on a separate piece of paper. Any requests for information about "Sports College" literature, etc., must not be included in your contest entry envelope. All such requests must be sent to "Sports College", care of the Y.M.C.A., Box 99, Toronto 1, Ontario. Note—See rule 4.

(2) To enter the contest you must write a letter answering the question "What Are The Important Advantages That You And Your Team Can Gain By Playing Clean Hockey?" Yes, that's all you have to do and there is no limit placed on the length of your letter. However, make sure you answer this question in as much detail as possible and that you write it neatly. You can send as many entries as you wish.

(3) With your entry you must enclose ten cents in coin or "postal notes" to cover the cost of handling the mail resulting from this contest. You can get "postal notes" at any post office. Note—Every "Sports College" member who sends in an entry to this contest will receive an action picture of a Stanley Cup play-off game. The pictures will be mailed out after the contest has ended.

(4) Send your entry (and your application for membership, if you are not a member) to Hockey Contest, care of the Y.M.C.A., Box 99, Toronto 1, Ontario.

Note—All entries must be sent to this address otherwise they will not be accepted.

(5) Your entry must be postmarked on or before Saturday midnight, March 16th, 1946. Entries postmarked after this date will not be accepted.

(6) The decision of the judges will be final and all entries become the property of the Y.M.C.A. - C.B.C. "Sports College".

(7) The contest is open also to girls under the same conditions as stated above.

Both gold and iron rings were worn in early times by the Persians and the Hindus.



SUN.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THU.	FRI.	SAT.
Roast Veal	Cold Roast Veal	Omelet	Curry of Veal	Broiled Liver	Fish	Individual Meat Loaves
Group B	left-over	unrationed	left-over	unrationed	unrationed	Group C
3 lbs. 2 coupons						1/2 lb. 2 tokens

If your ration budget indicates a credit of a couple of tokens saved from past eating, you may wish to exchange two full coupons for a Sunday roast. A three pound rolled shoulder of veal should provide for three dinners, any one of which might include a guest or two. A tasty dressing, good brown gravy and baked orange halves are excellent co-partners for its first appearance. And because roasts are not every week occurrences, you'll doubtless appreciate it sliced cold for Monday's dinner. On Wednesday, a curried dish with noodles pinch-hitting for the scarcer rice, will revive

the remnants. Eggs, now so plentiful and reasonably priced, suggest themselves for Tuesday. Whipped into an elegant omelet, served with a colorful vegetable or two, they will satisfy the most discriminating taste. A boon to your ration status as well as your nutritional level, would be liver on Thursday. Friday is yours for a fish selection. And on Saturday two tokens will procure half a pound of hamburger for a meat loaf mixture. To give this old standby a new appearance, bake it in custard cups or muffin tins. Then unmould and serve individually with your favored sauce or relish.

On Paying Business

Casa Loma In Toronto Is Now Out Of The Red

Toronto's "White Elephant" is out of the red and into the black ink.

Casa Loma, towering "dream castle" built by the late Sir Henry Pellatt from 1911 to 1914 and taken over by the city in 1937 for unpaid taxes, now is paying handsome profits.

Mayor Robert Saunders disclosed. The rambling 98-room structure in west-central Toronto, one of the city's showplaces, went on a paying basis after many lean years through public dances and tours sponsored by a service club (West Toronto Kiwanis).

Net income last year for Casa Loma—Spanish for "House on the Hill"—was \$57,000, part of which went to the city and part to the club's fund for underprivileged children.

Sir Henry, native of Kingston, Ont., collected ideas for the castle on frequent visits to Europe. He died in 1939 when his "dream castle" was just starting to pay its way.

MUST HAVE HELP

The Owen Sound Sun-Times says: On the farmers falls the great task of production of these essentials of life. But they can not carry on unless given assistance. Production can not be kept up, with a steadily decreasing supply of help. Careful planning on their behalf, along with assurances of just financial returns are essential as they look out on another production season.

The sulphur of coal smoke will make red or blue flowers much paler, or even white.

LIFE'S LIKE THAT

By Fred Neher



"We're givin' one to each new customer."

USING COLOR

British industry is stressing the use of color as an incentive to bigger output. A North England cotton mill recently announced its intention to paint its looms in lime green and duck egg blue and its walls in green and light gold.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



NOT ONE SINGLE GAS BOMB WAS DROPPED IN WORLD WAR I. GAS WAS EITHER RELEASED FROM CYLINDERS, TO BLOW IN THE ENEMY'S DIRECTION, OR LOADED IN SHELLS AND FIRED FROM GUNS.

MOST SPECIES OF FLOWERS WOULD DISAPPEAR ENTIRELY FROM THE EARTH IF ALL INSECTS WERE ERADICATED.

IS IT TRUE THAT THE FOX TROT DANCE IS NAMED AFTER THE BOUNCING GAIT OF THE RED FOX?

ANSWER No. It was named for its originator, a New York dancing master named Fox

REG'LAR FELLERS—Already Decker-Rated

BY GENE BYRNES



FOR A GOOD COUGH SYRUP
Try VENO'S
 Quick relief for COUGHS - COLDS BRONCHITIS ASTHMA
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The World Food Crisis

THE MOST SERIOUS PROBLEM which has arisen since the end of the war is the world food shortage, which has become increasingly critical during the last few months. In the past, starvation and plague have very often followed in the wake of war, but it was hoped that this time, means might be found to avert disasters such as these. The world has now been told, however, that it is facing the greatest food crisis in modern times, and that even with a maximum effort on the part of those nations which have food to export, sufficient supplies are not available to provide adequately for all the people in Europe and Asia between now and the next harvest. Great Britain, Canada, the United States, and other countries who are able to export food, have taken measures to increase shipments abroad, but even their best efforts cannot be expected to completely alleviate the present crisis.

Attributed To Many Causes

The world shortage of cereals is one of the most serious aspects of the food situation. This shortage is attributed to many causes. Lack of meat, fats, and other foods has increased the use of bread and cereals in Europe. At the same time, due to the devastation of war, the acreage sown in wheat and cereal crops on that continent has been greatly reduced. In addition, adverse weather conditions caused these crops which were sown in Europe last year, to be one of the poorest in history. The annual pre-war wheat crop in Europe averaged some forty-two million tons, while this year the yield was estimated at only about twenty-three million tons. Drought conditions in many parts of the world, and a widespread shortage of fertilizers during the past two years have also contributed to the present scarcity of cereal grains.

Appealed For Prompt Action

The Canadian Wheat Board recently announced that supplies of wheat in farmers' bins in this country were only about half of what they had been a year ago, but it appealed for prompt delivery of available wheat to elevators, to be made ready for shipment overseas. It is estimated that the world wheat deficit for the first half of this year will be over five million tons. By the time of the next harvest, stocks of wheat are expected to be almost completely exhausted, and needs for next year will have to be met almost entirely from the current crop. Reports issued by the Emergency Economic Committee for Europe show that over two hundred and forty million people are now forced to exist on a diet far lower than the 2,650 calorie minimum set by the U.N.R.R.A. authorities. Under present conditions hunger and near starvation is the lot of these people, and it will be impossible for them to escape disease, which always attacks under these circumstances. The people of all countries who are in a position to export food, will be called upon to make many sacrifices until the world situation improves, but there will be few who will not wish to do all that is possible to relieve the present crisis ahead.

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Cattle Vaccine

Canadian Shorthorn Association Pass Resolution

A resolution asking the Dominion government to make available to approved veterinarians, free of charge, the vaccine used to inoculate cattle against tuberculosis was passed at the annual meeting of the Canadian Shorthorn Association at Winnipeg.

It also suggested that a certificate of vaccination be furnished to the owner of each calf injected.

However, should the Dominion government not establish such a policy, the meeting asked that the provinces be given the authority permitting recognition of provincial certificates in export trade.

Acceptance of the association's resolution would eliminate the necessity of blood tests in exporting cattle to the United States. Present vaccination is not recognized by that country because it is not carried out by approved veterinarians.

In Great Demand

Boom In Diamonds Has Far Exceeded Expectation Of Dealers

LONDON.—Expectations that the end of the war would bring a repitition of the 1919 boom in diamonds have proved to be an understatement. Demand for the gems is described as "unbelievable".

It is reliably learned that the diamond syndicate has adopted a new policy of adjusting its selling prices of rough diamonds in accordance with the ruling market prices.

Well-informed diamond traders expect further price increases later in the year.

A surprising feature of the boom is that the demands for industrial diamonds, which was universally expected to dwindle as war industry was demobilized, is also insatiable.

NOT USED BY COLUMBUS

When Columbus discovered America the continent had no name. He thought he had reached a western part of India, so he called the islands in the Caribbean Sea the West Indies. The name America came from Amerigo Vesputi, a traveller from Florence, who visited that country a year after Columbus. The name America was not used by Columbus.

WORKING IN REVERSE

It was in 1665 that the first horse brought to Canada from France was disembarked from a sailing ship at Tadoussac. It was presented to the Governor of New France, Augustin de Saffray de Mesy, by the settlers. Now horses are going in the other direction.

Price Control And Rationing Information

Q.—Is there to be a cut in the butter ration for the months of March and April?

A.—Canadians will be obliged to accept a reduction in their butter ration from six to four ounces per person per week during March and April. During these two months two coupons will become valid for each month, on the following dates—March 7 and 21 and April 4 and 18.

Q.—Have the purple butter coupons been declared invalid?

A.—The purple butter coupons expire on February 28. The "R" coupons will be used for purchasing butter.

Q.—Are priority suit certificates transferable to another party?

A.—The certificate issued to veterans for the purchase of a suit is not transferable and must not be accepted by a merchant in exchange for a suit if it is known that the person offering it is not the rightful owner.

Q.—I'm expecting visitors from the States and would like to know if I will be able to get ration coupons for them.

A.—If your guests will be staying for five days or more, they should apply to your district local ration board and ration coupons will be given them to cover the length of their stay.

Please send your questions or your request for the pamphlet "Consumers' News" or the Blue Book in which you keep track of your ceiling prices, mentioning the name of this paper to the nearest Wartime Prices and Trade Board office in your province.

GEMS OF THOUGHT

CALMNESS

Calmness of mind is one of the beautiful jewels of wisdom. It is the result of long and patient effort in self-control.—James Allen.

Serenity of mind and calmness of thought are a better enjoyment than anything without us.—Benjamin Whichcote.

Waves of serene life pass over us from time to time, like flakes of sunlight over the fields in cloudy weather.—Henry D. Thoreau.

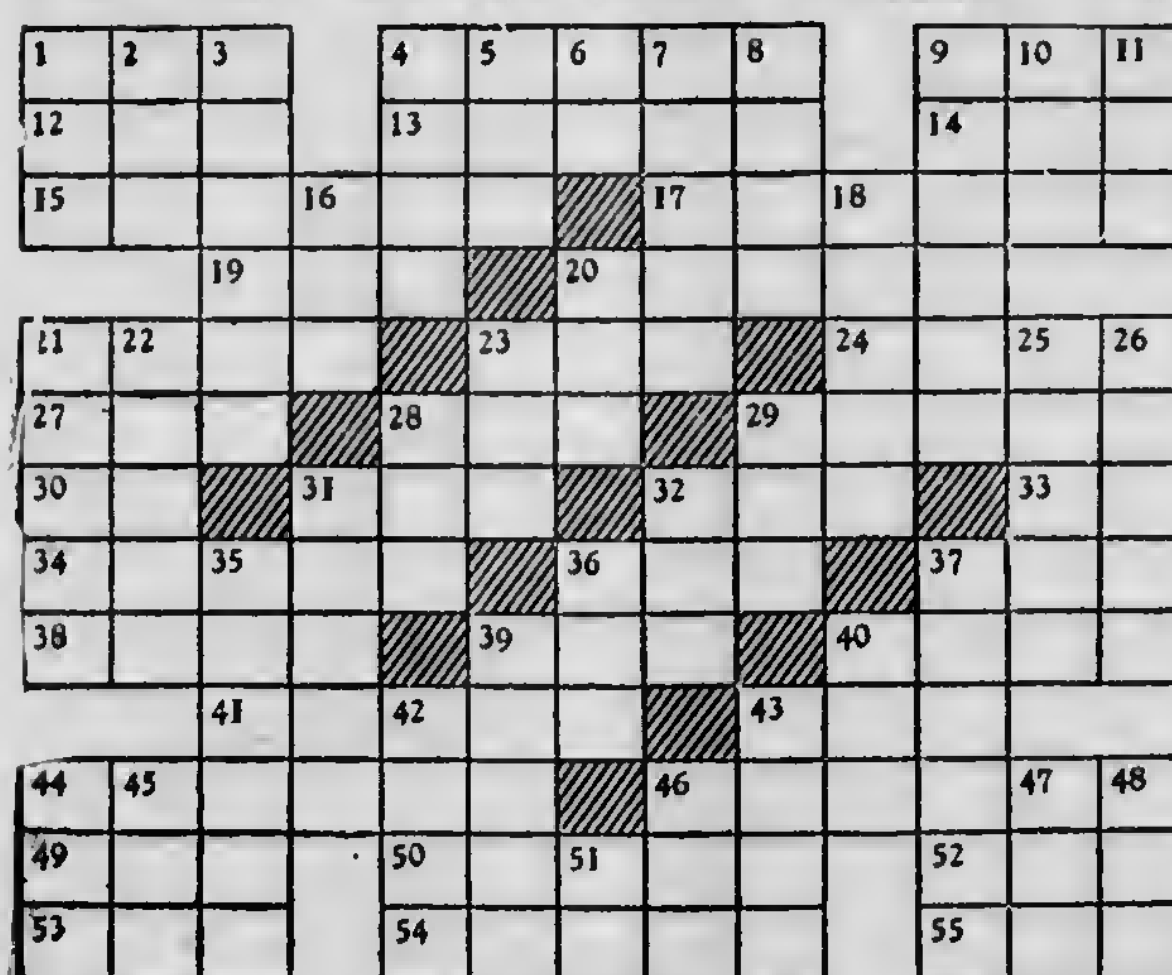
The secret heart is devotion's temple; there the saint lights the flame of purest sacrifice, which burns unseen but not unaccepted.—Hannah More.

The Soul-inspired patriarchy heard the voice of Truth, and talked with God as consciously as man talks with man.—Mary Baker Eddy.

How calmly may we commit ourselves to the hands of him who bears up the world.—Richter.

To Feel Right — Eat Right!

X-X OUR CROSSWORD PUZZLE X-X



HORIZONTAL

- 1 Dance step
- 4 To play the bagpipe
- 9 Island
- 12 Ostrich-like bird
- 13 Web-like membranes
- 14 To weep
- 15 Chinese river-boat
- 17 East-Indian native
- 19 Plaything
- 20 Tree of the oak family
- 21 Notice
- 23 Dried grass
- 24 Trick
- 27 To go astray
- 28 Beetle
- 29 Factor
- 30 Behold!
- 31 To cut
- 32 To hurry
- 33 Cooled lava
- 34 Greek theatre
- 36 Preposition
- 37 Fruit seed
- 38 Movable shifter
- 39 To spread for drying

VERTICAL

- 1 Foot-like part
- 2 Chalice
- 3 American Revolutionary general
- 4 To remain
- 5 Knowledge
- 6 Italian article
- 7 To banter
- 8 To guide
- 9 To come as a natural result
- 10 Babylonian deity
- 11 War god
- 12 Seed container
- 13 Strong twined silk
- 20 Swiss river
- 21 Spartan slave
- 22 To eat away
- 23 By what means
- 25 Gastropod
- 26 Public warehouse
- 28 To put on
- 29 Melody
- 31 Engine
- 32 Coal-seattle
- 35 Whole
- 36 Turkish headress
- 37 Insignificant
- 39 Claw
- 40 Law: things
- 42 Stride
- 43 Unsullied
- 44 Tennis score
- 46 Pastry
- 47 To seek
- 47 Falsehood
- 48 To devour
- 51 Indo-Chinese language

Answer To Last Week's Puzzle

Green Cross

FOR PEST CONTROL!

The sign of a modern, new line of products soon to be available at your local hardware stores to protect fruits, flowers and vegetables from insect pests, fungus diseases and weeds.

*Trade Mark Reg.

LOOK FOR THE "GREEN CROSS"

Put To Good Use

Wedding Party In England Did Not Throw Rice

It is difficult for the average civilian on this lucky continent to realize just how short is food across the Atlantic. Perhaps this little story, from the Northwestern Miller, may help:

Some time ago, in Ipswich, England, Lt. John Holbauer of Milwaukee, Wis., wrote his parents of his coming wedding to an English girl. Shortly afterwards he received a package from home which contained the rice that had been thrown at his parents' wedding more than 26 years ago. They had saved it to be tossed at their son's nuptials. It wasn't tossed at the young couple when they left the church, however, but it did appear at the wedding—as a rice pudding.

Nobody throws away rice or any other food in England.—Financial Post.

Wider Markets

United Nations Food and Agriculture Organization May Solve Problem

All the peoples of the world some day may be adequately fed and farmers of all countries will have wider and more stable markets because of the United Nations' food and agriculture organization, H. H. Hannam, president of the Canadian Federation of Agriculture, told the 46th annual convention of the Ontario Association of Agricultural Societies at Toronto.

Outlining the objectives and problems of the R.A.O., Mr. Hannam said "the organization was founded in the belief that the needs of many people—and in no country have all the people enough to eat—and the great productive capacity of most countries might be brought together and co-ordinated to the advantage of both producers and consumers."

"If this could be done within and among nations it would solve most of the world's economic ills."

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FILM SHOWINGS

To Help Solve The Problems Of Canadian Farm Women

One of the chief aims of the National Film Board's Rural Circuits is to help solve the problems of Canadian farm women. As part of this program a new film, "Kitchen Come True", is being shown in the rural areas of Canada to demonstrate how the old-fashioned farm kitchen may be transformed into an attractive and convenient centre for housework. "Kitchen Come True" shows that on many farms where the barns and agricultural machinery are up-to-date and efficient the housewife is still carrying on her domestic work with the methods and equipment of her grandmother. In this film the drawbacks of a typical old-style kitchen are pointed out, and ways of eliminating them are described in detail. Suggestions are given for the arrangement of furniture to save steps, for the provision of adequate cupboard space and for getting rid of the common source of dirt and catch-all for rubbish.

Several of the improvements shown in this film depend on the availability of hydro power. Films on rural electrification such as "Valley Of The Tennessee", which the National Film Board has also shown on all its rural circuits are consequently being distributed to encourage this first step towards better living conditions on the farm.

The ideas demonstrated in most of the films shown on the "Rural Circuits", however, may be more easily adopted than these large scale plans. Canning methods, meal planning and the preparation of school lunches are among the subjects covered. District Home Economists frequently speak at showings of films connected with their special interests.

Besides bringing information and new ideas to the individual housewife, the Rural Circuits are making a contribution to the social life of women in farming districts. Women's Institutes in many communities are sponsoring the film showings, which have become a monthly feature of their programs. Special showings are also arranged on request for Home and School Associations and other organizations in which women play an important part.

Much Better Coffee For Canadian Users

Made Possible By Science In The Roasting And Packing Processes

Statistics show that Canadians are using much more coffee than in pre-war days. Before the war, the average was four pounds a year per person, now it is about six pounds. Quite an increase, although it does not begin to compare with consumption in the United States, where they use about eighteen pounds a year per person.

There may be many reasons for the increase in Canada, but undoubtedly it is largely due to the better and more flavorful cup of coffee which Canadians enjoy today, made possible by the many improvements which science has brought to the roasting and packing processes. Research is constantly being carried on in such modern plants as the manufacturing establishment of H. L. MacKinnon Co. Ltd., at Winnipeg, where Melrose Coffee is roasted and packed, with the result that this delicious coffee compares favorably with the finest coffees produced.

For instance, scientific research disclosed that much of the delicate flavor oils of coffee were scorched in the old-type roasters, in which the heat came into direct contact with the coffee beans, and from that was developed the new Thermalec temperature roasting process by which the heated air is carried into revolving cylinders in which the beans are kept constantly moving. This process is used at the Melrose factory, and produces a bright, nut-brown coffee with a most delicious and appetizing flavor.

Another great stride in the speed with which the roasted coffee is sealed into air-tight containers. Science asserts that 18% of the flavor of coffee is lost in the first twenty-four hours after it is exposed to air, or to be exact, to the oxygen that is in the air we breathe. And again, science has found a way to replace this ordinary air with air that contains no oxygen during the packing process, so that the full roaster-fresh flavor of Melrose Coffee is sealed into every package until it reaches the cup.

The package itself, made of Lano film, is also the result of research, and comprises two sheets of glassine paper with a film of rubber and beeswax in between, laminated together under heat. This packing is so airtight that even after immersing a package of Melrose Coffee in water, as a test, no moisture reached the coffee.

It is interesting to see what modern methods in a modern plant can accomplish to bring the full enjoyment of this stimulating beverage to the home.

NEEDS SOME FIGURING

The Kitchener Record thinks it will be quite a trick for those observers of atomic bomb tests to determine how close they can go to the scene of the blast to see what happens and still survive to tell what they observed.

IF HEAD COLDS

HANG ON..

DO THIS! To relieve discomforts, one of the best things you can do is put a good spoonful of home-tested Vicks VapoRub in a bowl of boiling water.

Then feel welcome relief come as you breathe in the steaming medicated vapors that penetrate to the cold-congested upper breathing passages! See how this soothes irritation, quiets coughing, and helps clear the head-bringing grand comfort.

FOR ADDED RELIEF... rub throat, chest and back with VapoRub at bedtime. Vicks VapoRub works for hours—2 ways at once—to bring relief from distress. Remember, it's Vicks VapoRub you want.



HAS DIVINE TASK—Albert John Berdoux of Waterloo, Ont., a former butcher and proprietor of meat markets, now turned vegetarian, proclaims he is going to "take over the world." Arriving in Niagara Falls, Ont., with enough baggage for a pintoon, Berdoux, in his middle thirties, claims his mission is to bring peace to the world. After that, he says he will become "king of the earth." The mission, he asserts, has begun now and Niagara Falls is the starting-off point. From this city he intends to go to Toronto, Ottawa and various other centres, preaching his gospel of peace. One of his most precious possessions is a simple little apparatus for "purifying" drinking water. Wherever he goes, his gadget goes with him. The apparatus consists of an ordinary flower pot filled with charcoal and earth through which tap water is filtered and then becomes "pure, holy and fit to drink," he maintains. Before consuming the water he "blesses" each glassful! He says he will preach his mission first in Canada and then go on to other countries all over the globe.

NOT A GOOD IDEA

One of the nation's giant corporations proposes to produce new varieties of alarm clocks in 1946 that will awaken people "gradually and enticingly." The idea should be put in cold storage to await the next Era of Good Feeling, says the Chicago Sun. This year the citizenry, both public and private, needs alarm clocks which clang with a loud, snarling note, irritating one and all into leaping from bed into full days of working and thinking hard.

The human hands are capable of a hundred combinations of movement for every one that a horse's hoof can make.

THE SOLDIER'S PAL—MECCA OINTMENT
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Do what countless numbers of happy users are doing for the effective relief of Chronic Catarrhal conditions (as in Bronchitis, Asthma and Sinus Inflammation). Skin disorders such as Boils and Pimples! Arthritis and Rheumatism! Pain! Ask your druggist for Odorless and Tasteless ADAM'S GARLIC PEARLES, or write Richmond Adam Co., P.O. 374, Vancouver, Can. \$3 per 100 Pearles, enough for five weeks.

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OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY—

OFF THE BEAM

By MARION BAILEY

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BEAMER was a short, thickset little guy, with a weakness for talking tall; the minute he'd see a group of boys tussling together he'd hot-foot it over and, placing a dirty hand on somebody's shoulder, he'd start off.

We met Beamer on the liner coming home. At the last moment he had been pushed in our group as a replacement. There were about two hundred of us en route home. Most of the men were quite a bit younger than Bill and I and hadn't seen much actual fighting, although they had been with the group for quite some time. We were all feeling pretty good about getting home; that is all except Beamer. All Beamer seemed to be interested in was trying to impress the younger lads with his accomplishments. To hear him talk, anyone would think that he'd won the war single-handed.

Bill, my buddy, was easygoing but I could see Beamer was getting under his skin. "Ah, why don't you dry up," he said. "The war's over now, so why can't we forget about it?"

"I'm just making conversation, sec," Beamer smirked. "We gotta make conversation, don't we?"

"Well, let's talk about something else," Bill suggested.

That seemed to hold him for a while, but the next morning when Bill and I went in forchow, old Beamer was dishing it out at his best.

"There was hell of a lot of fighting going on that day," he was saying, "and the lousy sarg put me in a fox hole almost on top of the German front. Wasn't very long before I saw something moving in a shell hole not fifty yards away. Well, I watched that guy for quite a while." Beamer stopped for breath and looked around at his audience, to see how they were taking it in. "Well, as I was saying, I watch that guy for sometime. He would pop up and down like a slow motion jack-in-the-box trying to get the lowdown on our front. I already had my rifle over the edge and the next time that buzzard stuck his neck out I let him have it and ducked.

"Then hell broke loose. Bombs started flying backwards and forwards like tennis balls. Suddenly they stopped and you could have heard a pin drop and not a thing in sight but this Nazi's hid. Well, I thought I'd like to take a look at

the guy so I did a little snake maneuvering over to the shell hole and drops in. The guy was dead all right, he was deader than a door-nail. Got him straight through his lousy Nazi's heart, and what do you know? he had yellow hair, yep, yellow hair. He was young too, about 18. He'd been writing a letter, the letter was right there waiting to be put in the envelope. I took the letter and his gun and went back to my own post. I couldn't read the letter seeing I didn't know any German but I still got it. It's one letter some dame never got."

He reached in his pocket and brought out the letter triumphantly. It was just a small sheet of paper, grubby with handling. The younger men seemed much impressed. Beamer said: "Well, if he was writing some bilge to a dame, he sure picked a lousy spot to do it in." He began to laugh.

My stomach began to feel queer and I knew it wasn't from the roll of the ship; I'd been through all that. I looked over at Bill, he was on his feet staring at Beamer like he was going to punch him in the nose. He leaned over the table toward Beamer and put his hand out. "Do you mind, Beamer," he said, "if I read the letter?"

"Sure," Beamer said, handing the letter to Bill. "Maybe we'll get a laugh out of it."

"Bill took the letter, looked at it for a moment, then began to read it out loud.

"July 4th. Dearest, (Bill began



—Illustrated by Maurice Thomas.

slowly, 'I'm in a shellhole close to the front. Close by is my enemy. I could have killed him many times in the past hour because he is not a very smart enemy; he leaves himself open to invitation. But I do not want to kill him; I do not want to kill any man. I am tired of this thing I do not understand—for I do not understand the reason for which I am fighting. This will be my last letter, dearest, because I have decided I am going to die. In a few moments I shall advance towards my enemy hoping this time he will not miss. I forgive me and goodbye. Your husband Kurt.'

When Bill finished all eyes turned towards Beamer. He had gone a purplish red. He stood up and reaching across the table grabbed the letter from Bill's hand and scrammed.

For a while we were all quiet. Suddenly it struck me. I started to laugh. "Say, Bill, I didn't know you could read German."

"I can't," Bill said, reaching for the salt. "I just thought I'd teach that bird a lesson."

SELECTED

RECIPES

OPEN SEASON FOR HOT DESSERTS

Cooks, unlike hunters and fishermen, are not required to observe "open" or "closed" seasons, but tastes vary with the temperature and cold weather appetites combine with tradition to set up a series of "seasons" for our favorite foods.

So now puddings, plump and proud, return to the tables, steamers and pots and pans for sauces emerge from the cupboard; now-wriggling aromas waft in from the kitchen and the last course of the meal is circled with wisps of steam. Yes, it's pudding time. It's sauce time. It's hot pie and gingerbread time. It's time for hot desserts!

Main courses may be lighter when desserts are hot and hearty, and by the same token, the size of the dessert serving may be more frugal when it is topped with a hot, spicy sauce.

Jelly Minicement Pudding
2 cups prepared minicement
1/2 cup of brown sugar (*)
2 tablespoons flour
1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
3 tablespoons butter
1 1/2 cups all-wheat flakes

Spread minicement in greased pan. Combine sugar, flour and cinnamon. Blend butter and sugar mixture; mix with cereal. Crumble over minicement. Bake in moderate oven (350 degrees F.) about 20 minutes. Serve warm with cream, if desired. Yield: 6-8 servings (8x8x2-inch pan).

(*) Sugar may be increased or decreased depending on sweetness of minicement.

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BUCKLEY'S MIXTURE

Prove Satisfactory

Square Milk Bottles Said To Save Much Storage Space

Square milk bottles may come into use within a few months. Some of the largest dairies in Ontario have the change under consideration. Milk producers and dairy managers say that at least 25 per cent. will be added to refrigeration and storage space by changing the round bottle for the square shape. Square bottles have been in use in Buffalo and in other American cities for some time, and they have been tried out in some Ontario dairies with satisfactory results.

None spoke favorably of the use of an opaque bottle or other receptacle for delivery of milk to consumers, although green or other colored glass would avert the destructive effect of the sun's rays, destroying vitamin B2 and causing milk to sour quickly. One dairyman recalled that years ago the late Dr. Charles Hering, M.H.O., declared that the clear glass bottle, permitting the buyer to see what he was getting was best.

Giant Fig Tree

Instructions In Will Of Owner Protect It From Destruction

A giant fig tree in the Mullumbimby district of New South Wales must never be destroyed, according to a direction in the will of the late J. T. Gray, former owner of the property on which the tree stands.

The tree, a link with the historic pioneering days, is fenced off in about an eighth of an acre of valuable land at the foot of a 4 1/2 acre patch of bananas. Present holder of the banana plantation paid \$3,384 for a six-year lease with option of renewal for a further five years. This is probably a record figure for the Commonwealth.

To Feel Right — Eat Right!

How to Combat RHEUMATIC PAIN

Rheumatic pains may often be caused by excess uric acid, a blood impurity that should be extracted by the kidneys. If kidneys fail, and excess uric acid remains, it may cause severe discomfort and pain. Treat rheumatic pains by keeping your kidneys in good condition. Get and use Dodd's Kidney Pills. Dodd's help your kidneys get rid of trouble-making poisons and excess acids—help you feel better. See what Dodd's can do for you. 137



WOMAN'S BODY UNDER TRUCK FOR SEVEN HOURS—Seven hours after she was killed, a woman, believed to be Mrs. Viola Sivill, of Orangeville, Ont., was taken from beneath this transport truck. The body had lain in three feet of water in a ditch near Caledon, awaiting arrival of equipment from Toronto. She was reportedly helping the driver of one truck flag another on the slippery hill.

SIFT THE EVIDENCE

Public Deluged By Opinions On Many Matters Of Public Interest

In reading news headlines or listening to radio newscasts, the public should "listen for the sound of axes being ground," Hon. Ray Atherton, United States Ambassador to Canada, said in an address before the annual banquet of the Ottawa Medical-Chirurgical Society.

He deplored the fact the public was "deluged with opinions" by "authorities" in the form of radio commentators and columnists.

"We can't all be great individual thinkers, but by asking 'How do I know that?' or 'What evidence have I seen, read or heard about that?' We can strengthen that self-reliance that has been the keystone of our democracy," Mr. Atherton said.

In medicine, "too often the public is fired with excitement over some new drug or medical technique long before the profession accepts it." The same situation often arose in social, political and economic fields.

News headlines should be treated with the same critical analysis people learned to apply to reports of impending disaster during the war.

"We can follow a simple rule. We can aim at gradual improvements of our methods of reaching decisions."

Mr. Atherton paid a tribute to Rt. Hon. Malcolm MacDonald, retiring British High Commissioner to Canada. During the war, he had "so thoroughly proved his worth to all people with whom he came in contact that no words can add to the monument he has built in all our minds."

SMILE AWHILE

When your son has completed his studies, what will he be?

"Oh, about 28 years of age, I should think."

"Never waste household scraps," says a wartime economy hint. Agreed. Open the windows and let the neighbors hear.

"What can I grow in a garden 30 feet square?" asks a correspondent. Very, very tired.

"Isn't your friend Clark pretty slow?"

"I should say not. It took him four hours to drive his new girl friend 15 miles home from a dance last night."

The moving picture usherette was in the dentist's chair.

"Now, miss," asked the dentist, "which tooth is giving you all the trouble?"

"Second from the left in the balcony," she replied.

"Define 'appetite,'" requested the instructor in an English school. "When you're eating you're 'appy,' announced the student; "and when you're through you're fight, that's 'appetite'."

The glamorous blonde was about to undergo an operation.

"Tell me, doctor," she gushed, "how long will it be after the operation before I know something?"

"You mustn't expect too much from an operation," replied the doctor.

"I had an awful headache last night."

"Yes, I saw you with her."

"Since I got a girl I can't eat, I can't drink, I can't smoke."

"Why not?"

"I'm broke."

"Will you stop drinking for me?"

"Who said I was drinking for you?"

Employer (interviewing applicant for job): "Know anything about electricity?"

"Yes sir."

"What's an armature?"

"A chap who boxes for nothin'!"

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

Discontinuance of Overseas Tobacco Gift Plan

The Tobacco Gift Plan whereby **BRITISH CONSOLS** and **EXPORT CIGARETTES** and Tobacco parcels can be sent to the Armed Forces overseas will be discontinued from the 28th February, 1946. After this date no further orders can be accepted by W. C. Macdonald Inc.

Members of the Canadian Armed Forces still serving overseas are assured of an adequate supply of cigarettes as they will still be able to purchase **BRITISH CONSOLS** and **EXPORT CIGARETTES** from No. 2 Canadian Tobacco Depot, London, England in the same way as they have been doing up to the present time and at the same prices as through the Gift Plan.

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Getting Serious

Breakage In Marketing Eggs Is Causing Heavy Loss

Breakage is the greatest single cause of loss in marketing eggs in Canada. Greater shell strength is needed. It is not a matter only of the loss on the cracked or broken eggs themselves but the loss in value of other eggs and packing material through smearing. There is also the unknown loss at point of production, in the nests, in gathering, and in handling on the farm, and in the consumer's homes, according to a survey made by the Dominion Department of Agriculture.

It is not a question of whether egg shells are weaker now than before the war, but just a plain statement of fact that present egg shells are not sufficiently strong to withstand the hazards of transportation. Trains are heavier, jolts are more severe, and handling less careful. Something has to be done now to improve shell strength. Selection, breeding, feeding can all be brought to bear. It is something in which all phases of the industry can take part. Eggs with thin porous shells should not be used for setting, the department advises in a recent release.—*Fort William Times-Journal.*

Long Service

Commissioner A. N. Eames Retiring After 33 Years With R.C.M.P.

The man who led a 40-day chase of the "mad trapper of Rat River" over the snow-capped Rockies and across the frozen Arctic, assistant Commissioner A. N. Eames, officer commanding "H" division of the R.C.M.P., is retiring after 33 years' service with the force.

While in command of the R.C.M.P. post in Herschel Island, north of the Arctic circle, he personally undertook command of the R.C.M.P. and civilian patrol which hunted down the Alaskan desperado Albert Johnson over a 600-mile chase from Rat River to Eagle River in the Yukon, where the "mad trapper" met his death in a gunfight with his pursuers.

Daintily Demure



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Fairy-tale frock! Pattern 4564 may be made for playtime with a collar, puff sleeves, embroidery; for parties with lower neck, shoulder dounces. Lace edging optional.

Pattern 4564 comes in sizes 2, 4, 6, 8. Size 6, 2 1/2 yards 35-inch. Embroidery transfer included.

Send twenty cents (20c) in coins (stamps cannot be accepted) for this pattern. Write plainly Size Name, Address and Style Number and send orders to the Anne Adams Pattern Dept., Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermott Ave. E., Winnipeg, Man.

TO HELP FARMERS

Mobile cinema units of the Kenyan government will shortly begin to show in the colony's villages a color film demonstrating modern agricultural methods. At every showing specially trained Africans will give a running commentary in the language of the district.

Fiery, Itching Toes and Feet

Here is a clean, stainless antiseptic oil that will do more to help you get rid of your trouble than anything you've ever used.

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You can obtain Moore's Emerald Oil in the original bottle at any modern drug store. It is safe to use—and failure in any of the ailments noted above is rare indeed.

Tuberculosis Fight

Another Step Is Taken In The Hunt To Find A Cure

Another step in the hunt for a weapon against tuberculosis is described in Science, official journal of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

Doctors Isadore E. Gerber and Milton Gross of the Hudson County tuberculosis hospital at Jersey City report that a mould-derived substance they called "mycoecidin" had rendered active tuberculosis germs from human beings powerless to produce the disease in guinea pigs.

The doctors offered no statements as to any possibilities of using the substance in the treatment of tuberculosis in human beings. They said they still are working toward isolating and purifying the "active principle."

Dr. Eugene Gillespie of the U.S. Public Health Service, an authority on tuberculosis, told a reporter that "mycoecidin" probably is similar in nature to "streptomycin," another mould-derived substance that has proved effective against tuberculosis germs in test tubes and animals.

To Be Restored

Historic Sundials Were Removed To Avoid Damage By Bombs

Sixteenth century sundials, removed during air raids from the stately gardens of Hampton Court Palace, are to be restored.

Sundials were the official timekeepers when Henry VIII resided at the Palace. They were moved in 1940 because of the danger that bomb blast might bend the iron indicator, displacing the time "shadows". Though bombs crashed around the palace boundaries, the massive stone architecture bears few scars. Of particular interest to tourists is a grape vine, 700-years old, which continues to bear fruit each year within a steam-heated greenhouse.

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The Harmful Effects of Tariffs

During the depression years world wheat prices fell by 66 per cent and Canadian wheat prices fell about 50 per cent. Canada's wheat exports fell from 407 million bushels in 1929 to a low of 166 million bushels in the year 1934. These smaller exports added up into smaller surpluses. In 1929 there were 91 million bushels in surplus; in 1934 there were 204 bushels. These smaller surpluses weighed heavily on the market and reduced price, as was expected from an average of \$1.24 a bushel for the year 1929 to an average of \$1.34 cents a bushel in 1934. So it will be observed that as surpluses declined, prices increased. At this time, the most eminent authorities tell us, by the imposition of high tariffs, by the Fordney, McCumber tariff of 1922 and the Smoot-Hawley tariff of 1930 in the United States, followed by the extremely high Canadian tariffs in 1930. All this seriously reduced the farmers' income; but tariffs also reduced the purchasing power of that smaller income because the cost of the things farmers had to buy steadily increased. It would appear, then, that there is nothing so important for the future welfare of our farmers as to have our Canadian tariffs sharply reduced.

Stop stewing and start cooking.
If others can't see where you stand, tell them where you fall.

We Pay For Good Roads - Lets Have Them

If you drive or maintain a car or truck either for business or pleasure you need no instruction on the value of good roads. You have experience of the delays and losses and expenses occasioned by poor roads. Add to these the millions of dollars of lost tourist business that must be charged to Alberta's poor roads every year and it becomes more than ever that SOMETHING SHOULD BE DONE.

THE TIME FOR ACTION IS NOW. The money paid by motorists for license and gasoline taxes is sufficient to finance a comprehensive road building program and the Alberta Government now has such a program before it planned by the Department of Public Works. This plan should be put into effect without delay.

The Alberta Motor Association has never relaxed its pressure for the modern highway system this province needs. Add your voice to this demand by bringing it to the attention of your neighbors, or any group or club to which you belong and by pressing for action through your representative in the provincial legislature. If you are a car owner you might also like to join the A. M. A. Besides its championship of the rights of motorists it offers a host of valuable services that far outweigh the modest fee of \$10 a year. Full particulars on request from A. M. A. branches in Calgary, Edmonton, or Lethbridge. Tdgt.

HERE and THERE

At the first meeting of Stalin's new Soviet Government in Moscow Uncle Joe came into the council room and said in very good English "What the hell goes on here?" Everybody had a good laugh. Since Prime Minister King's announcement on the 15th that "sterile and confidential information had been given a 'foreign power' and by foreign power he meant Russia. No one is laughing.

We have known for months of Russian espionage in United States and Canada. You may say that Mr. King would never at this delicate time in the U. N. O. S. life have disclosed such a scandal without conditions being most serious. You are probably asking why Canada rather than Britain or United States exposed the plot. Obviously Canada's position is such that she could without too great a risk to the U. N. O. security take the chance of offending Russia.

Russia finally admitted that members of her diplomatic corps in Ottawa were involved but tried to cover up the whole matter by branding the case as a weak attempt to cover Mr. Bennett's failure in the U. N. O. assembly. Nothing could be further from the truth. The treatment of the whole matter in the Russian press leads us to believe that friendships and mutual confidences are not the object they are seeking.

Just what is Russia after? And what is the price of her friendship? It is beginning to look as if the slightest disagreement with Russian policies and actions brands one as

Combatting Rust

The University of Australia recently published an account of the fine work they are doing in breeding new varieties of wheat that will resist rust; rust being regarded as the greatest enemy of the Australian wheat farmer. New varieties are being brought by means of cross breeding. The methods being followed in Australia in breeding disease resistant varieties correspond almost exactly to the methods that have been long in use at that most excellent Canadian institution, The Rust Research Laboratory, Winnipeg and at our University breeding stations and which methods have produced such fine varieties as Regent, Renown and Apex wheats; several varieties of oats and with still better varieties to come. It must be a source of considerable satisfaction to Canadian farmers to observe all this that in combatting rust's in combatting all other agricultural diseases and pests Canada does not have to take second place to any other country in the world. One must observe too how ever the efforts being made by competing wheat exporting countries to increase their yields and quality. This means that Canada herself cannot rest on her laurels; but must ever increase her own efforts. To permit of this our government must be generous in their appropriations for all agricultural research.

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an enemy. They know that the deniable way of compromise. You are a friend only as long as you are willing to give but expect nothing in return. How long can such a friendship last?

Stalin's latest speech suggests what they are after. The war he said was caused by capitalism. Was it capitalism that drove Germany to attack Russia or sent Japan against Pearl Harbor? Or was it a lust for physical conquest. He insists that Russia won the war because of her communist system. What about lend lease? Or the 10,000 aeroplanes that flew by day and night over Raymond on their way to the Russian front.

If communism won the war for Russia then how did the British Empire and United States do so well.

But these statements are not what caused the chief concern in his broad cast. Stalin talked of outstripping United States in steel production. He expects to stimulate Russian scientific expansion so that they will surpass the rest of the world. Molotov puts the reason more bluntly when he says "We must be ready for any eventuality."

Russia wants peace; she needs peace to build up her production power beyond that of the capitalist nations. Will Russia be content to live in the world with democratic competition without using force.

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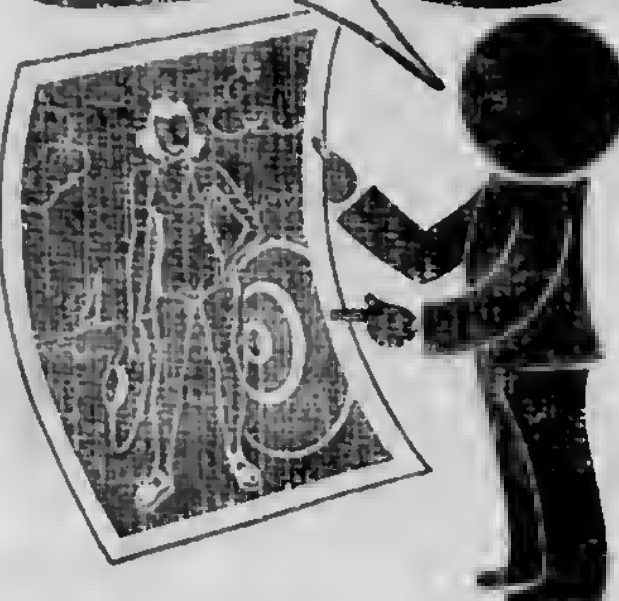
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Weak Links In The Chain Of World Security

LONDON. — Conservative Harold MacMillan accused Russia in comments of attacking "all the weak links in the chain of world security and peace."

MacMillan asked whether Russia wanted to dominate the world or was merely bent on insuring Soviet security. He opened debate in comments on foreign affairs.

Soviet diplomacy, he charged, "seemed to be concentrating upon outward pressure in the Mediterranean and in the Middle East"—the lifeline of the British empire.

Russian support of Yugoslav claims on Trieste, MacMillan said, has been a stumbling block in drafting an Italian peace treaty. He reported rumors of a "sudden and dramatic turn in Soviet policy," but did not explain.

Russian imperialism or promotion of international Communism are "possible explanations" of Soviet actions, MacMillan said. Uncertainties fostered by them, he said, "have created an atmosphere of suspicion. It only needed the addition of a spy mystery to complete the whole dreary picture."

Already, MacMillan said, an Anglo-Soviet-American alliance is virtually if not formally "in abeyance."

Relations between the great powers "are greatly—even alarmingly—strained," MacMillan said. In wartime he was a diplomatic troubleshooter for Winston Churchill's government.

"It would be folly not to recognize that the Anglo-American-Russian alliance that held so firmly in spite of so many difficulties throughout the years of the war is virtually in abeyance," MacMillan told the house.

MacMillan spoke from his background as a British official in the Mediterranean area during the war. He was minister resident at Allied headquarters in North Africa and later British representative on the advisory council for Italy. He also was air secretary in Churchill's "cabinet" government after the wartime coalition broke up.

MISSION TO INDIA

To Find Solution Of Vital And Pressing Problems

LONDON.—Members of all British political parties interpreted the government's decision to send a mission of three cabinet ministers to India as a decisive attempt to reach a settlement with Indians on the Asiatic sub-continent's future constitution.

There is no precedent for the dispatch of a delegation of such weight and authority from Britain to any part of the empire.

The mission—consisting of Lord Pethick-Lawrence, secretary for India, Sir Stafford Cripps, president of the board of trade, and A. V. Alexander, first lord of the admiralty—is to leave for India in March.

Political quarters discounted suggestions the decision was a direct result of recent rioting in India, but admitted it reflected the government's sense of urgency of the Indian situation, of which the riots are symptomatic.

Recent official reports from India evidently confirmed the government's belief in the need for prompt action, implementing its promise of last autumn to "follow the Indian election by positive steps to set up a constituent assembly of Indian representatives charged with the task of framing a new constitution."

The government appears to have strong hopes that with the combined efforts of the cabinet delegation and the viceroy, Viscount Wavell, it may be able to reach a solution of vital and pressing problems, one of the most important of which is the setting up of a body to frame India's future constitution.

It was agreed here that the basis of the constitutional structure in India must be the work of Indians themselves.

ROADS UNDER WATER

The Canadian Occupation Force In Germany Have To Deal With Floods

AMSTERDAM.—The Canadian occupation force area in Germany has been practically isolated for a week by washed out bridges due to floods but damage within the area has been surprisingly small.

Though the floods played havoc with communications elsewhere in the British zone, the Canadian area was largely free of inundation although the levels of streams and canals were raised. But bridges leading into Holland and to other parts of Germany were lost, one of the few exceptions being a bridge across the Weser river at Minden.

The first Canadian area bridge to go went out more than a fortnight ago, over the Ems river at Leer. Others at Harren and Meppen went out later. Even while the Meppen bridge was still standing the route towards Holland and the Amsterdam leave centre was impassable because roads were under water.

GROWING RESTLESS

But Australians Not Only People Whose Nerves Are Jumpy

SYDNEY, Australia.—Australians are growing restless under post-war conditions.

Psychiatrists in the five state capitals report huge waiting lists of men and women seeking advice on jumpy nerves, while patent medicine firms say sales of nerve tonics are climbing to record levels.

Main cause of this restlessness, they say, is a feeling that wartime sacrifices have been in vain. Men and women can see no fulfillment of the promised new order of living and they fear another depression.

Local factors are blamed in part for the situation. Chief among them is the housing shortage. Australia needs 70,000 new homes and the lack of home deliveries, crowded transport, packed restaurants and the difficulty of getting a beer in crowded public houses.

All these things, the psychiatrists say, make Australians feel nothing is being done to restore pre-war amenities.

But the restlessness is not confined to Australia, they added. It is a malady apparent all over the world.

After two years, they predict, the feeling, a reaction to war strain, should have disappeared.

Attempt Was Made On The Life Of Gosenko

OTTAWA.—Dramatic inquiry into the alleged Russian spy ring in Canada has uncovered a sprawling Soviet "fifth column" which has infiltrated into every level of Canadian life, seeking information that might be useful should another war arise. The Canadian Press learned from a source of excellent authority.

That the game of international intrigue is being played in deadly earnest was borne out in a disclosure by a reliable source that attempts on the life of the key witness in the government probe actually had been made.

This source said definite evidence had been found that the man known as Ivor Gosenko and his wife would have been killed by Russian agents had they not been tipped to vacate their Ottawa apartment the night of Sept. 7 before the agents arrived.

Gosenko destroyed as much of his secret papers as possible and concealed himself in a nearby apartment. The Russian agents arrived armed and prepared to kill him. When they found he had fled they wrecked his apartment.

"Gosenko sought and obtained Canadian government protection and the police were able to use his information in fitting together the pattern of Russian fifth column activity that already had been under investigation," the source said.

"Gosenko now is being guarded with the greatest caution because there is evidence to show that orders have been given for his death and the death of his wife if such is at all possible."

From this source, and others of equal authenticity, the Canadian Press learned these disturbing details of the ramifications of the sensational espionage activity, now subject to royal commission investigation:

1. Through an intricate network of agents, the ring was absorbing detail concerning the atomic bomb, radar, the development of secret weapons, the location of war factories, Canadian economic and industrial life—all data which would be advantageous to a power embroiled in war.

2. The announcement of the royal commission inquiry was made prematurely because the complex branches of the fifth column were developing at an "alarming rate", encompassing government employees, minor political parties and a number of so-called "friendship" societies closely allied to the Soviet Union.

3. The ring's activities resulted in an ever-increasing flow of vital though fairly commonplace information to the Kremlin in Moscow where it was carefully sorted and studied before being placed in a pigeon-hole labelled "Canada" and held for future possible use.

4. Russia did not intend to provoke aggression or to use this information as a basis for aggression. Faced by—to the Russians—a hostile world, the Russians gathered this information as a means of protection, to be used only if aggressive steps were taken against her.

5. That "future possible use" included the remote possibility that if Russia went to war Canada would be in the path of invasion.

It was learned that the Canadian government, which kept London and Washington closely informed of developments, would have preferred to have kept the inquiry into the ring a secret for a while longer but, alarmed by the speed with which the gigantic espionage circle was ever-widening and infiltrating, decided to make public enough information to stem its growth.



APPOINTED FOR CHINA—Mgr. Thomas Tien of Tsingtao, China, first cardinal to be appointed for China, is seen here on a visit to St. Mary's Mission house at Tsching, near Chicago, on his way to the consistory at Rome.

JAPS CONVICTED

MANILA.—Two Japanese officers were convicted and sentenced to death by a United States war crimes commission, and four others were sentenced to 30 to 40 years' hard labor for the torture killing of three unnamed American fliers on Panny Island in 1945.

In the first 11 months of World War II, British lifeboats rescued an average of 46 persons a week.



FLOWN OUT OF ARCTIC AFTER 17 YEARS—Seventeen years in the Arctic ended for missionary Rev. Etienne Bazin when he was blown out by an R.C.A.F. plane on a 1,600-mile mercy flight to pick up a sick Eskimo.



EXPLOSION DESTROYS PETERBORO SERVICE STATION—An explosion destroyed the service station and all the personal possessions of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Berry, five miles west of Peterboro, Ont., while the storage tanks were being filled. Berry, shown here, was blown about 25 feet. His wife received burns and bruises.

PLAN CELEBRATION

London Will See British Victory Parade On May 8

LONDON.—The biggest and final British victory celebration will take place May 8 but apart from parades and fireworks it will be a wartime utility model—in other words without plentiful food, clothing and beer.

Prime Minister Attlee soberly announced the plans in the house of commons.

The dominions, including Canada, are expected to be represented in London parades representative of all the services. There will be plenty of military vehicles, war-like displays and some open-air entertainments for children in London parks.

But it will not be possible to erect stands along parade routes as was done for the coronation ceremonies in 1937. There will be no extra rations and no limitless supplies of hunting. There will be no night presents for children although the exchequer will provide funds so that a commemorative card with a message from the King can be distributed to school children.

MENNONITES FOR BOLIVIA

LA PAZ, Bolivia.—The Bolivian minister of agriculture has granted permission for the settling of 500 Canadian Mennonite families in areas along the Corumbá-Santa Cruz railroad and north of La Paz. Each family will be given 200 hectares (about 496 acres) of land and will be guaranteed freedom of religion and other facilities.

MUST BE SATISFIED

People Should Have Say Regarding Sarawak's Form Of Government

LONDON.—The famed white rajah of Sarawak—72-year-old Sir Charles Vyner Brooke—leaves here for the Far East March 14 for the last act in the drama of white rulers in Borneo which began a century ago.

In the Far East, Sir Charles will turn over his rich country to Admiral Lord Louis Mountbatten, commander-in-chief of the southeast Asia command.

Sir Charles views the whole situation with excitement and his attitude is almost an achievement because the lotus-land of Sarawak became the centre of a controversy as soon as the rajah made an agreement with the colonial office for his state to become a crown colony.

His nephew and heir presumptive Anthony Brooke, has said he will oppose cession of Sarawak by every means possible until he is satisfied the people of the country have the form of government they want, which might not be under the colonial office.

Canada's Loan To Britain Is Being Discussed

OTTAWA.—Loan discussions between Britain and Canada have passed the stage of formal meetings and now have reached the point where some details are being worked out, it was learned here.

It was understood that the talks have not reached the stage where a definite amount can be set. Before then, it was learned, representatives of the two governments will have to calculate how much Britain owes Canada as a result of the termination of mutual aid last September.

The amount that Canada owes Britain for services and supplies to Canadian troops overseas also will be determined.

British food contracts with Canada are also said to enter the picture. Sir Wilfrid Eady, member of the British treasury and head of the British loan delegation, said recently Britain had imported two-thirds of her foodstuffs prior to the war and likely would continue to make heavy imports, if she could obtain the money needed to stabilize her foreign exchange position during the transition period.

This was taken to indicate that, for the next few weeks at least, Britain would keep her food imports from Canada on practically a wartime level if a satisfactory loan from the Dominion can be concluded and satisfactory prices for foods maintained.

When Trade Minister MacKinnon returned from Britain last month, he said there was a possibility of Canada signing a four-year wheat contract with Britain. It was understood the only matter delaying the contract was the price Canada wanted for wheat.

It was reported Canada wanted a fixed price of \$1.55 per bushel for the four years and Britain balked at this request, pointing to the possibility the world price for wheat, now near the \$2 per bushel mark, might drop below the Canadian price before termination of the contract.

These and other details were reported to be matters that government representatives are trying to work out.

RADIO SYSTEM

Plans For An Amateur Organization For Air Force

OTTAWA.—Air Minister Gibson announced plans for the organization of an air force amateur Radio System comprising radio "hams" who will form a trans-Canada radio network with loaned equipment and be a practical radio auxiliary of the permanent R.C.A.F.

The organization will consist of groups of amateurs affiliated with R.C.A.F. auxiliary squadrons and in radio contact with squadron signals personnel.

Full membership will be granted to amateur operators more than 16 years old holding an operating and a station licence; provisional membership will be granted to those under 16, and to any citizen irrespective of age, who displays an interest in amateur radio, and wishes to work for his licence.

BOMB DISPOSAL

EASTBOURNE, England.—A 500-pound bomb which fell here five years ago was blown up recently. The bomb was fitted with a clockwork fuse which might have started by movement, and experts decided the best method of disposing of the bomb was to explode it.

WANT NEW CLUB

LONDON.—An appeal for £1,000,000 (\$4,500,000) to build a club in London for United Nations ex-servicemen and women was launched recently at a Downing street tea party given by Mrs. Attlee to 55 London mayors.

Rationing Of Bread In Britain Is Not Likely

LONDON.—Viscount Addison, Dominions secretary, in the house of lords assured the people of Britain that British wheat stocks were quite satisfactory and there was no likelihood of bread rationing.

Lord Woolton, food minister during most of the difficult war years, speaking earlier, had criticized Sir Ben Smith, present food minister, and his Labor cabinet colleague for current food shortages.

He declared: "While the cabinet has been planning the new world in which we are to live we seem to have been allowed to slip into a position in which we may have insufficient food to maintain our life and health."

In defense of his colleague, Viscount Addison said conditions had changed since Lord Woolton was food minister. Lord Woolton had the benefit of United States lend-lease and could buy as much as he liked. Lord Woolton had the problem of shipping losses but was not faced with a hungry world clamoring for a share of the available supplies and his task was almost easy compared with that of Sir Ben.

During his speech in the House of Lords, Lord Woolton asked whether Canada had not now sufficient wheat and flour in stock to meet all British needs and how the wheat stocks situation had changed recently.

Lord Woolton asked how many weeks' stock of wheat and flour Canada had three months ago and how many now. He also queried the government on other sources it had tapped for food supplies.

Amid opposition cheers, he said the government was interested mainly in its nationalization program and similar undertakings and "has become in a few months divorced from the people and seemingly unable to take note of the simple needs of the people."

Lord Addison said even if United States dollars were available, Britain could not help herself to food in the "free-and-easy" way Lord Woolton suggested because the combined food board, for which Lord Woolton was responsible, allocated what food supplies existed.

STARTING WORK

International Trade Talks Planned By United Nations Economic Council

LONDON.—The United Nations economic and social council, concluding its initial London session, has agreed to summon an international trade conference for the latter part of 1946 and to hold its next meeting in New York May 25.

Last of the United Nations bodies to adjourn, the council appointed committees to start work immediately on the trade conference, the refugee problem, control of narcotics, and relations with such specialized agencies as the world federation of trade unions, the American Federation of Labor and the International Co-operative Alliance.

The trade conference would discuss reduction of trade barriers, establishment of an international trade organization and international plans for increased employment.

HAVE HARD TASK

But People Are Beginning To Rebuild A New Germany

BERLIN.—The shape of the Germany of the future is emerging from the chaos and ruin which marked the destruction of the Nazi empire.

With decreased income and expenditure swollen by reparations payments, the German people will be faced with greatly increased taxation. The complete reorganization of German industry means that agricultural production must be stepped up to the highest possible level if the people are to be fed along with this reduced industrial organization.

A certain quantity of exports to pay for food from abroad may be obtained by the encouragement of non-steel-using industries.

With steel production severely limited, German heavy industry, which exported machines and engineering products to all its neighbors and thereby controlled not only their industry but their whole economic life, will be destroyed.

SUSPECTED WAR CRIMINALS

LONDON.—Belgrade radio said Allied military authorities in Germany handed over a group of suspected war criminals to Yugoslav officials. Among the suspects were S. S. Gen. August Meyssner, former Gestapo chief in Yugoslavia, and Dr. Vladimir Kosak, the Croatian Quisling government's minister in Budapest.

JAP VESSELS BARRED

WASHINGTON.—The Japanese cannot fish in deep sea areas near United States territory or any of its "island responsibilities," the state department disclosed. Jap fishing vessels are also barred from areas under Allied jurisdiction without prior permission from countries concerned.

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POLICE NEWS

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Police Magistrate Jensen of Cardston heard one Juvenile case last week concerning a charge of stealing. He adjourned sentence and gave the child into the custody of his parents. Another charge against a juvenile was postponed until his parents could attend court.

Police are investigating a complaint of damage to a car belonging to Mr Halpenny of Lethbridge. Investigation revealed it was meant as a joke but may turn out to be rather expensive as it is reported most of the paint came off after the car had been plastered with a sticky substance.

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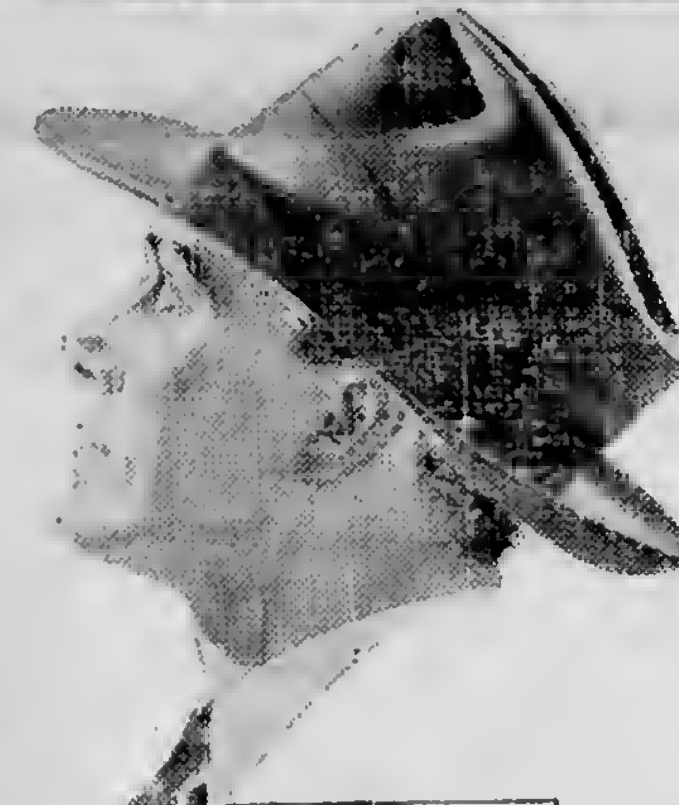
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